

# County of Santa Cruz

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**Subject:** Late Item Addition - PROCLAMATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY

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**PROCLAMATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY**  
**FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, Santa Cruz County Code Section 2.26.040 empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence of a Local Emergency when the County Board of Supervisors is not in session and

Whereas, the Santa Cruz County Operational Area Emergency Operations Center was activated on Sept 26, 2016 to coordinate and support the activities, and to assess damages in response to the Loma Fire; and

Whereas, the Emergency Service Act requires local jurisdictions to adopt a proclamation in order to be eligible for California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) funds, as this is beyond the operational area's fiscal capabilities

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services finds:

- 1) That conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the County of Santa Cruz caused by the Loma Fire and, with damage commencing on September 26, 2016 and projected to continue over the next few days given the fire's proximity and growing conditions, and the projected high hazard weather conditions;
- 2) That the fire's proximity on the county line has resulted in protective response measures with associated costs and extreme threats to the community, including residents, homes, animals, environment and infrastructure; and
- 3) That the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril warrant and necessitate the proclamation of a Local Emergency; now, therefore

IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that a Local Emergency exists throughout the County of Santa Cruz, commencing on or about the 26th day of September, 2016, and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said Local Emergency, the powers, functions and duties of the Director of Emergency Services shall be those prescribed by state law and the ordinances and resolutions of the County of Santa Cruz as approved by the Board of Supervisors in order to mitigate the effects of said Local Emergency, and that the Director of Emergency Services will seek assistance and support from all available state resources as deemed necessary.

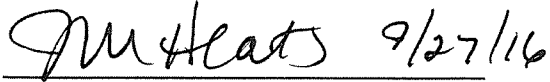
IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that said Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist for the next seven (7) days, and hereafter by ratification of the County Board of Supervisors, until its termination is proclaimed by the County Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz.

Dated: 9/27/16



SUSAN A. MAURIELLO  
Director of Emergency Services  
County of Santa Cruz

Approved as to form:



Office of the County Counsel